GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

ABSTRACT

Animal Husbandry, Dairy Development & Fisheries Department – National Livestock Insurance – Pasu Bhima Padhakam(Livestock Insurance) – Funding pattern and modified guidelines – Approved – Orders – Issued.

ANIMAL HUSBANDRY, DAIRY DEVELOPMENT & FISHERIES (AH.III) DEPARTMENT

G.O.MS.No. 8 **Dated: 24-03-2025**

Read the following:

1. G.O Ms.No.3, AHDD&F (AH.I) Department, dated 12.01.2023.
2. From the Director, AH, Lr. Roc.No.AHF02-SCH/9/2023-RBK, Dt.25.09.2024 and dated Dt.24.01.2025.

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ORDER:-

In the circumstances reported by the Director, Animal Husbandry Department in the reference second read above, Government after careful examination of the matter, hereby approves the following funding pattern of Pasu Bhima Padhakam (Livestock Insurance) under National Livestock Mission, subject to condition that no additional state share will be provided other than matching state share in this regard.

i. The beneficiary share of premium for all categories of farmers has been reduced to 15% instead of 20%.

ii. The remaining 85% share will be shared by Central and State Government 60:40.

Category	**Central Share (60% of Govt Share)**	**State Share (40% of Govt share)**	**Beneficiary Share**
All category of Farmers	51%	34%	15%

2. Government also hereby, approves the following modified guidelines for Pasu Bhima Padhakam (Livestock Insurance) under National Livestock Mission.

i. The number of animals to be eligible for insurance has been increased from 5 Cattle unit to 10 cattle unit per household for all animals except for pig & rabbit, where the benefit will be remained restricted for 5 cattle units. (1 Cattle 10 small animals like sheep, goat, pig, rabbit).i.e. Maximum 10 cattle/Buffalo (or) 100 sheep/Goat: (or) 50 Pig/Rabbit are eligible for insurance per household.

ii. Radio Frequency Identification Device (RFID) will also be used for Insurance of animals in addition to UID system.

iii. The insurance intermediary should be registered with (Insurance Regulatory & Development Authority of India (IRDAI).

iv. Insurance intermediary should have minimum experience of livestock Insurance for at least 2 years to the satisfaction of the State Government.

v. If the intermediary does not meet the above experience, it will be eligible, provided it deposits reasonable performance guarantee as decided by the tenderer i.e. State or UT Government depending on the quantum of premium.

vi. The State or UT Government should define the role of intermediary in the tender document.

3. The Director, Animal Husbandry Department shall take further action n the matter accordingly.

4. This order issues with the concurrence of the Finance (FMU-A&C, AHDDF, CS Department vide their Finance U.O.No.FIN01- FMU0PC(AHDF)/4/2025-FMU-AC-CS-AH (Computer No.2727347), dated 07.03.2025.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

B.RAJSEKHAR, IAS
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (FAC)

To
The Director, Animal Husbandry Department, A.P. Vijayawada
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The Finance (FMU-A&C, AHDDF, CS) Department.
OSD to Hon'ble Minister (A&C, Mktg, AHDDF)
P.S.to Special Chief Secretary to Govt., AHDD&F Dept.
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